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GLEICHEN TOWN COUNCIL MEETS

The regular monthly meeting of the GLEICHEN Town Council was not held until Friday evening of last week, as considerable business was transacted of a routine nature and a few other matters considered and acted upon.

Major Lewis and W. W. Brown appeared in connection with initiating a seige to the Masonic Hall for the use of the hall for a dance. But after fully explaining the situation a motion by Aldermen McKay and Michael was duly passed agreeing to connect up the Masonic Hall with the sewerage system as soon as feasible in the New Year.

A deputation also appeared before the council to ask that the electric lighting be discontinued. It was agreed to give five lights eight nights a week. Saturday's excepted, in consideration of the rink committee giving free skating every evening from 4 to 6:45 and from 8 p.m. till closing time. The power house committee were asked to make arrangements between the Curling Club and the electric company so that there would be no curling games on hockey match nights.

A recommendation to purchase additional fire equipment was brought before the council by the fire chief. After discussion it was decided to purchase two hydrant gate valves, one fourteen foot extension ladder, one ground ladder and a hose.

The Fire and Police Committee also instructed to look into the matter of a fire bell to be placed somewhere on Crawford street.

Before adjournment the secretary-treasurer was ordered to collect all outstanding taxes by distress.

CURLING NEWS

The curling season for 1922-23 opened last Thursday evening without ceremony or excitement. Wednesday evening previous skips had been elected to their exalted positions and their men selected in the following:

Skip Beach, B. James, Bowes and Evans.

Skip Elliott, Brown, Hutchison and Moodie.

Skip Staback, Sofle, Ostrander and Kehler.

Skip McMullen, J. Young sr., Henderson and McIntyre.

Skip Robinson, Allen, Jeffries and Cornish.

Skip Yates, Pringle, McLean and Hall.

Skip Clifford, Monard, Farquharson and Bowles.

Skip McDonald, I. Young, Jones and Desjardins.

Skip Parsons, Purcell, Luncy and K. James.

Skip Cuthbert, Bates, Mallory and Robson.

Thursday evening the competition for the order supper between the Friends and Vice-President teams started with the total points to count. At the finish Monday night the score was President 50 and Vice President 47.

OPERA HOUSE NEWS

Next Saturday night a stirring picture of love and happiness will be displayed in "The Great Own Woman". This picture is one with a real man behind and film lovers are assured of a treat.

The Venerable Archdeacon will preach at evensong services on Sunday evenings at St. Archibald's church. After the service there will be a congratulatory service which the Archdeacon will address, and all interested are earnestly requested to attend.

There will be a Call issued on Dec. 25th. Only eleven days to Christmas.

A CALL TO ACTION MR. FARMER

Queenstown Farmer Suggests a Way Out of Financial Difficulties—Calls Public Meeting at Milo Friday Afternoon, Dec. 29th

There is an old saying that "Necessity is the mother of invention", and I think we have reached the point in our good shape, if not better, for what this district where we will have to adopt a different farming method if we expect to remain on the farm.

Ever since the time we have been here it has been boasted it as one of being among the best growing districts, and Mr. Teige is so confident in this that he intends to put some into crop next year.

Prof. Hutton, now employed at the C.R.R. experimental station at Strathmore, claims that sunflowers can be grown most anywhere, and if cut and deposited in a dry place, will make excellent feed for much cows and for fattening cattle.

Now, if we can grow feed on land that formerly grew nothing and will raise a much better wheat the following year, it appears to me we have almost doubled our production, and it can be done without cutting down our grain crop.

After all, we have the same number of farmers' families would be greatly suffering for the bare necessities this winter. As it is a great number are living up in despair and not a good passes but some farmers especially those who during the last year have bought high-priced land on the Reesor, and others, are getting into trouble.

Are we to let them have all they want? We're it is a fact that the more we help the more we have to do, and the results of their efforts will be a curse to us all.

Of course, we are all aware of the fact that we have a lot to do, and no time to do it in during the year, but this is true in the best way, but when you can get an income from dairy cows, cattle and hogs, it is a practical additional crop, with very little additional expense, except little labor, it is a different story.

I am not blind to the fact that our district is yet under the great disadvantage of being far from the railroads, but railroad today than ever before, in the meantime we cannot sit down and starve to death waiting for the train.

We must act at once. By co-operative action, I believe we can make a start.

The Queenstown Farmers Co-Operative, which is present doing nothing except run a hall, was organized for real co-operative enterprise, and I hope to be able to get the public in to help build up the district and incidentally make a home here, are we too, going to let the hole we are in?

It is not necessary for me to go into explanations about the reasons for the present financial difficulties, but I can assure you that I am going to present my plan by which I hope it will be possible for us to get out of the hole we are in.

The organized farmers hope that a wheat board or some co-operative grain selling market, a diversified banking and investment system and other similar organizations will eventually better the farm conditions, and no doubt it will.

But until those reforms are put into force we have got to live, and we can find something which will help us right away we may not be here to partake of those other benefits.

During the last few years the farmers have been compelled to grow a minimum of sunflower half of their land each year. They have found that owing to the scant rainfall this is the only way a crop can be raised with any surety. But even with this expensive method of farming results have not been satisfactory.

At present of 10 or 15 bushels of wheat per acre, the farmer has to pay to grow with high-priced manure and later, at the present cost of 10 bushels per acre, it is not possible to deliver his crop at a profit.

But if we act together and either buy a truck or engage some of those already owing one to haul the grain, the cost is different.

The district could be divided into three districts, and farmers living near the river would have two crops in place of one; or rather to grow a crop on every acre every year, instead of as now, a crop every other year.

Experiments made at experimental stations and by individual farmers in the three prairie provinces have proven beyond doubt that fodder corn and some rye, corn, peas and sunflowers

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SENIOR HOCKEY CLUB MEETING

Last Thursday evening the Senior Hockey Club was reorganized for the coming season. L. M. Webster was elected president, D. James, vice-president, and W. E. Johnson, general secretary-treasurer. Business for the ensuing year was brought up and disposed of. As the hockey club has always put on a dance it was decided to put on their annual dance on Friday, December 22nd. A dance committee composed of Messrs. Webster, George Staback, Gamble and McLean, and others, were informed that the new hall, boys' room, etc., will be available for the club's use.

The orchestra will be in attendance, and the players are particularly invited to be on hand and a good time assure. There will be more details next week.

The possibility of a hockey league with Bassano, Clyne and Gleichen is very bright, and more will be heard next week.

SKATING RINK NEWS

Who says that Gleichen is not wide awake and modern? We are going to have free skating this winter. Can you beat that? Now where in Alberta is it being done? It has been made possible by the splendid spirit and co-operation of the various marksmen who have been appointed to their usefulness, aided by the town fathers who have made it possible by giving water and light free of charge.

The rink this winter will be under the efficient management of Walter James, Jr., who is too well known as a good sport and a level headed fellow to be left in charge of anything.

A pamphlet will be published in next week's issue in which every mother and father can see when their babies are to be able to skate, also a schedule of hockey practice periods for the various hockey organizations in the town.

The rink committee wish to announce that as there is now to be free skating, the public may be asked to share their subscription money, and to touch with either D. James, V. L. Gamble or L. M. Webster and help make the rink a success.

The committee feel that the rink will be a great success, and will be a great attraction to the townpeople, particularly men with children, to see that they are assisted in this matter.

As this week's issue is largely taken up will be another week before we have time to get the word out, and for the rink to be open, the rink will be open for publication.

To help the committee, any who have not already done so, it is your own community you are helping.

GLEE CLUB CONCERT

WEDNESDAY DEC. 20

On Wednesday night, 20th December, the Gleichen Glee Club will be held in the Open stage promptly at 8:30 p.m.

The program will consist of mixed choirs, male quartets, female choruses, soprano, contralto, baritone, tenor and bass solo, instrumental solos, duos and readings.

An entertainment feature is of very infrequent occurrence in Gleichen, and should be a decided treat, everyone should endeavor to take it.

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GLEICHEN, ALBERTA, WEDNESDAY, 13, 1922

RED CROSS WORK

In the Red Cross publicity and relief departments are on file stories of life in the far north-west that would make excellent for the "best sellers". Sometimes one of these stories will leak out to the public through the columns of a newspaper and the world will learn of the wonderful ways of the Greatest Mother. Such a tale comes to hand from the distant point of Pointe Coupe where the Red Cross has an outpost station, one hundred miles from the head of steel at Grand Prairie. It is a story of the endurance and fortitude of a trapper called Blizzard Gus, and the ever open door of the emergency relief service of the Red Cross hospital. Blizzard Gus and his partner Happy Guy, were carriers of the government mail from Fort St. John to Hudson's Hope, the most northerly settlement in the B. C. interior, one thousand and seventy five miles north of Edmonton. True to his nickname, Gus ran into blizzards every time he started for anywhere. On the treacherous trails of the ice of the eave river he got completely knocked out. One day Blizzard Gus had the misfortune to fall through the ice and for two days he had to travel wet in the teeth of a north wind. It was no wonder that the frozen glands of his throat gave him a great deal of trouble. Indeed he was in a very bad way when his face and neck began to swell and turn black. No doctor was at hand to render aid, but two trappers came to the rescue and with some sticks cut a hole in the swollen throat. Fever set in and it looked as if Blizzard Gus had come to the end of the trail, but his friend had got him to camp at all cost to the Red Cross Hospital where he could get a fighting chance of life. They placed him on a sledge and the boat banged frequently up against huge masses of ice, but he kept on going, and at last landed him safely in the care of the Red Cross Hospital. It seemed to him as he were entering heaven. Here he was rest in a clean hospital bed, here was warmth, cleanliness, care, comfort, food and shelter.

Those who heard him tell the story of his arrival and received said the Blizzard Gus thought the establishment of the Red Cross in the Gleichen area was perfect in the world of medicine. His wounds were taken care of immediately and with good nursing he was able to return to civilization. Because of his gratitude to the Red Cross, the trapper likes to talk about the service of the Greatest Mother in following the trail of the ice and snow to the edge of the world in her endeavor to serve humanity.

It is a well known fact that the Red Cross

is the poor man's army and will eventually prove the very best thing for them and the entire district. Just now every farmer realizes that wheat farming is a failure and something else must be tried. Most of them have decided to quit wheat farming and go into real farming—namely, mixed farming. A few years hence we will not be surprised if this district raises more wheat than ever and also sufficient fodder crops to keep the farmer out of debt. He will then have his wheat to clear profit.

John Glambeck's letter appearing elsewhere in this issue should be read by every person interested in the welfare of the Gleichen area. The author did not yet let it be known just what he means by "the old story of carrying all the eggs in one basket". One which the Call has harped on since its first issue, nearly sixteen years ago. Let us hope our friend John will be able to accomplish some real good for himself and neighbors.

Not long ago a member of the Gleichen U. F. W. A. stated to the Call that their store account for the whole of last year amounted to a little over \$7.00 per month in cash, the rest shall paid with butter, eggs, chickens etc., the old story. When we get a crop of grain we have that to the good." These are the class of farmers that will eventually place this district on a sound financial basis and make good for themselves.

An Alberta editor was asked, "Do hogs pay?" He replied "a good many do not; they take the paper several years and then have the postmaster send it back marked 'refused' or 'gone west'."

THE GLEICHEN CALL

"Trade at Home" Campaign

It was a famous showman who declared that the people loved to be humbugged. That saying is many years old but sometimes it seems that there is about as much truth to it now as there was when it was first uttered.

People use a rule not like the idea of having "something put over" on them, but from the way in which the great mail order houses in the big cities flourish it seems that a great many people do not mind it a bit.

The business men who when he gets a call for an article which he has not in stock, attempts to substitute some other article of a similar nature without telling the buyer of the substitution is "putting something over" on the customer. Few retail merchants nowadays attempt to do a thing of kind.

The great majority of merchants do this for two reasons.

One reason is that they wouldn't do it if they could and the other is that they couldn't do it if they would.

The man who sees what he is buying before he

buys it is pretty sure to get what he wants.

Ordered shirt, got Pyjamas

But there is another class of merchants, of whom the same thing cannot be said. A man who has been closely connected with some of the big mail order houses is authority for the statement that the heads of the various mail order houses have standing orders to substitute with the newest thing they have if the articles ordered are not in stock and available for delivery. It is related that in one instance as a result of these instructions, a man who dressed a dress shirt in a mail order house received a pair of pink pyjamas instead.

It is easy for the mail order house to get away with this substitution of merchandise for the one that is ordered for the reason that to exchange an article received from a catalog house is a costly undertaking.

Exchanges are costly. If a small order buyer is disappointed in his purchase, as he is very apt to be when he compares the article types, it is not difficult to picture and flowery description which appears in the catalogue, the wisest plan is to take what he gets and make the best of it, for every time he sends an article back to be exchanged he is paying up the freight or express charges and even if the article is exchanged as requested the buyer is not apt to have much better on the second attempt.

The mail order houses are well aware of the fact that the majority of their customers will not go to the trouble and expense of returning an article if it does not come up to their expectations. As a result they can work the substitution game to their heart's content.

The home merchant, however, cannot do business in this way and, as has been said, the majority of them would not do it if they could. The home merchant, if he has not the article he ordered, should go to another with the explanation that it is of the same quality as the one for which the customer asked. Good merchants nowadays even hesitate to offer something "just as good" to the customer especially when the article called for is one that has become well-known and popular. They are not afraid of doing this for the manufacturer, but it is not to tempt to make a substitution without the knowledge or consent of the customer! Well, it isn't being done by the local merchants today.

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HOW'S BUSINESS ? ? ?

Advertising, backed by the right spirit, the right goods and the right service, can rescue a sinking business and will make a prosperous business more masterful in its own community.

CALL TO ACTION MR. FARMER

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Hogs will naturally follow milch cows as skim milk is the best foundation for small pigs, and as Mr. Tregg and other corn growers claim that improved aqua corn and some other kinds can be ripened here; then, and surely will solve the hog feed question.

To those farmers who do not like milking cows I again point out to Mr. Tregg's experiments. He buys a lot of feeders in the fall, young lean steers, etc., these he fattens on fodder corn and peas raised on the land he prepared for summerfallow and declares it is very profitable.

On the other hand, I know that a patch of fall rye makes good pasturage for cows and young cattle during the biggest part of the summer

and if this rye is sown after the birds, who will eat it, it can be made without a dollar, except the farmer's labor, and that is never reckoned in.

Now, then, a start should be made next spring on a small scale, if the co-operative plan is adopted the co-operative should buy the seed corn, peas and sun flowers, in a lump. The first year a few acres can be sown in the fall, drilled, but with a mow or binder, and if the weather is dry the stuff can be laid in a dry state with fairly good results.

There would be a lot of details to work out, explanations to be made and every farmer interested is invited to attend a meeting in the Farmers' Hall at Milot on Friday afternoon, Dec. 18th, at 2 o'clock. It will be an annual meeting day. I shall try to have some of the agriculturists there who will explain matters to all interested.

JOHN GLASSHORN.

eight feet deep and sixteen wide as long as you want it, can be made without a dollar, except the farmer's labor, except the farmer's labor, and that is never reckoned in.

Then on land summer-fallen in this way a farmer may raise rye for pasture on part of the land to be summer-fallen and corn and/or sunflowers on the other part, and have heard objections to pasture, particularly when it is said that milk would taste from it, still this has not been my experience, but this, so far, sweet clover can be used for pasture.

In order to carry on this system to the best advantage it will be necessary to have hays, straw, corn culmures, corn harvesters, etc., and if a silo is wanted an enclosure must be built.

Who will explain the details of these improvements can be used by several farmers and the cost reduced. A trunk line, according to Prof. Glashorn, to be

ARROWWOOD BRIEFS

(From our own correspondent) Forest Kemper received some new radio apparatus last week.

Mrs. F. A. Hall is in the Tilson hospital at Denver.

The Arrowood Junior U. F. A. meet Jan 5th not 15th as stated last issue.

Felix Jones reports "Skinny" Silvas as missed very much as only half the outfit is reported at the ranch now as far as I am concerned.

Eldon Osbourne and family are occupying the house recently vacated by George Leith, and Roscoe Shatto and wife are living in the house vacated by Mr. Osbourne.

A new house was moved on to the townsite, near the business district last week, which Evertit Brubaker, the blacksmith, expects to occupy as a residence in the near future.

Mrs. Clark, mother of Mrs. Clark, is to give piano lessons each week to take music lessons from Madam Brooks, who was formerly Queen Victoria's organist, also playing at the wedding of Princess Mary. Miss Adams has a number of music pupils in the community.

(From our own correspondent) William A. Silvis, after spending over a year with relatives on the G. T. Jones ranch, returned to his old home at Cameron, Missouri, last week. His sister, Mrs. Gaylen Jones and little Betty Ruth returned with him to remain over the New Year's with old friends and relatives.

There have been turkeys numbering many hundreds shipped from this community in the last week and there seems a good promise of a like or greater amount leaving in the next ten days. In the last few days the city people seem to get a definite indication of the feeling of man for that paramount ruling force in his stomach.

Doagle underwent quite a serious operation at a Calgary hospital last Saturday morning. It was feared that Dan was bothered with tuberculosis, but the physicians at the hospital declare that it is a serious attack of pneumonia. His condition is much weakened, but it was necessary for him to endure the pain of the operation without the aid of an anesthetic.

UNION CHURCH NOTES

Sunday School next Sunday at 11 a.m.

Evening service at the usual hour, 7:30 p.m.

Preacher: Rev. John Paton
Subject: "The Law of the Fringe."

A pathosical picture entitled "The Lion's Cub" will be shown on Friday evening at 7 p.m. in the Union Church. The picture deals with the work of the Boy Scouts in Britain during the war and is being shown specially for the young people of the town. There will also be a song program and a lecture by Mr. Paton.

COMING EVENTS

Dec. 15—Dance at Arrowood Consolidated School.

Dec. 15—Box social and dance at Living Springs church house.

Dec. 16—At Opera House "God's Woman."

Dec. 15—St. Andrew's Church W. A. in G.W.V.A. Hall.

Dec. 16—Hoggs shipped by Pioneer Market.

Dec. 20—Concert by Gleichen Glee Club, in Opera House.

Dec. 22—Hockey Dance at Opera House.

Dec. 23—Dollar sale at McGregor Hardware Co., N.W.

Dec. 26—Public Meeting in the Mill Hall.

Dec. 28—Gleichen U.P.A. Annual Meeting.

Jan. 5—Arrowood Junior U. F. A. meeting.

Aid. N. T. Purcell successfully underwent an appendicitis operation in the Gleichen hospital a week ago, having had trouble with his eyes for sometime past. He is now improving nicely.

Christmas Prices Encourage Christmas Giving

NOW IS THE TIME TO BEGIN TO BUY YOUR XMAS. GIFTS FOR YOUR FRIENDS IN THE EAST



We realize the problem of Xmas. Gift Buying and in order to make it easier for you, we will endeavor to display our splendid stock of Xmas. Goods to the best possible advantage.

OUR STOCK SUITABLE FOR XMAS. BUYING INCLUDES—

Gents Dressing Gowns

Pure Wool Pullover Jerseys

House Jackets

House Slippers

Silk Shirts

Fancy Wool Hose

Pure Wool Sweaters

Fancy Knitted Vests

Men's Initial Handkerchiefs in Irish Linen

Ladies' Fancy Embroidered Handkerchiefs

Gents' Wool and Silk Mufflers and Scarfs

Gents Gafters

Fancy Boxed Braces

Silk Lined and Mocha Gloves

Armbands

Garters in Fancy Boxes

Astrachan Gauntlet Mitts

Curling Jackets

Silk Souvenir Handkerchiefs

Silk Ties Silk Hose Suit Cases

Ladies' Sweaters in Pullover and Tuxedo Styles

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PRACTICAL SHOE REPAIRER

Best Materials Used.

Work Guaranteed

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TRY ME AND SEE

Shop in Basement of Royal Bank — Gleichen

NOTICE!

We will be Shipping Hogs on Tuesday the 19th inst.

We will be shipping Hogs on Tuesday, the 19th inst. If you have any ready to ship by that date come in and See Us or Call Us on the Phone.

The following is the Government Official Grading on Hogs and we will only buy STRICTLY according to this grading under all circumstances:

Grade 1. Selected Bacon 160 to 210, Premium 10 per cent.

Grade 2. Thick Smooth 160 to 210, Basic price.

Grade 3. Shop Hogs 120 to 260, Discount 1 cent.

Grade 4. Heavies over 210 to 260, Discount 1 cent.

Grade 5. Extra Heavies over 260, Discount 2 cents.

Grade 6. Lights and unders 170 down, unfinished, Discount 3 cents.

Grade 7. Roughs any weight, Discount 2 cents.

Grade 8. Sows. (Smooth 130 to 350, Discount 2 cents. All others 3 cents.)

Grade 9. Stags all flat, 3 cents per pound.

PIONEER MARKET PHONE 42 GLEICHEN

CHRIS BARTSCH, PHONE 10

The first sign of a man's strength is his knowledge of his own weakness.

Expect Developments Over Flight Of Sultan On British Warship

Constantinople.—Mohammed VI, the Turkish Sultan, has fled Constantinople on a British warship bound for Malta.

Upon embarking, the Sultan emphasized that he was not abdicating but merely removing himself from imminent danger.

London News.—The departure of the Sultan, under British protection for Malta, creates the most intense interest in Europe. No one can seriously award the effect it might have on the Muslim populations in India and other British colonies.

It is now more than the Sultan's action will be appreciated by the Moslem world.

It was believed that Nationalists who might possibly be angered, may offer stiff resistance to the British pro-

gramme at home than had been anticipated.

Great Britain's reason for giving refuge to the Sultan, it is explained, is that he formally asked an audience of the Moslems to consider what could be done to mitigate the military crisis of the Marmara. There are about 15,000 British soldiers in Constantinople, the same number in Chanak, and the remainder are on the coast of Asia Minor.

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BRITISH VIEWPOINT ACCEPTED BY FRENCH

NO DANGER OF SPLIT IN TURKISH PEACE NEGOTIATIONS

Paris.—The British have some 25,000 men around the Dardanelles, and the French, 10,000, and the military crisis of the Marmara continues. To this, he says, must be added between 10,000 and 15,000 British troops.

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WESTERN EDITORS

DOMINION HOLDS HIGH PLACE

CANADA'S INDUSTRIAL IMPORTANCE RECOGNIZED BY COUNCIL OF LEAGUE

Ottawa.—A formal recognition of the industrial importance of Canada is contained in a recent decision of the council of the League of Nations, according to information reaching the Government here.

This decision was rendered under the authority of article 283 of the Treaty of Versailles, which provides that the 12 government seats on the governing body of the International Labour Office, which is to be held by the countries of the Entente, "in proportion to their importance," and that any question arising as to which of the countries of the Entente should be given a seat on the International Labour Council should be decided by the League of Nations Council.

Canada was ranked as one of the eight countries of the Entente, along with Germany, Belgium, France, Great Britain, India, Italy and Japan.

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St. Lawrence River Salmon Atta

Several Generations Eastern River to Become Breeding Ground

Dye Skirt, Coat, Drapery With Diamond Dyes

Each package of "Diamond Pre-dyed" contains directions for simple dyeing on linens, cottons, silk, dresses, waists, coats, sweaters, stockings, drapery, curtains, etc., and the new "Diamond Dyes" are other kinds—then perfect pieces of cloth are never dyed before.

Tell your drug store where you buy your clothes, or your tailor, that the St. Lawrence was a fine salmon river long ago, and that the salmon never dyed before.

Two or three generations ago the St. Lawrence was a fine salmon river, and the salmon were dyed before they came as an experiment, the department placed salmon eggs obtained from Harrison's rapids on the Fraser River in British Columbia.

Egypt Demands Independence

New Problem Is Presented For The Lausanne Peace Conference

Lausanne.—Real independence for Egypt and the Sudan, with the evacuation of the British troops, and no Egyptian delegation to the new Parliament, Premier Bonar Law will command a majority over all parties in the new assembly.

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While this cannot properly be described as a landslide, as the Conservatives, at the time of dissolution, had a majority of 15, while the Liberals, after considering the peculiar circumstances of the election, had a slight lead.

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means a Parliament with little energy, except that Mr. Bonar Law will be in a position to rule, will, probably, henceforth be compelled to work in cooperation with the Conservatives.

The removal of the British troops is the feature of the election. Coalition Liberals at the distribution numbered 129, and are represented in the new assembly.

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The Egyptian Association, which claims to represent the voice of all Egypt, adopted a resolution at its annual general meeting of the 12th instant, in Cairo, that the Egyptian Minister of Justice, who was arrested last year for his opposition to the British, and his supporters, should be freed, and that he should be allowed to take up the office of his wife, and retire for a time.

As far as I am concerned, the real representation of Egypt is the Egyptian Association, which consists of Saghef's colleagues and the National Association.

"Egypt for the Egyptians—that is our national slogan, with freedom of speech and racial equality to no one, and no foreign domination."

"We will demand, first, the right officially to sit in the conference, the real representation of Egypt, and the right to speak in the name of the Egyptian Association.

Secondly, we demand that the British be allowed down with the million feet of timber for the extension of wharves in the east end of the port of Montreal.

Thirdly, non-recognition of English privileges in Egypt and the Sudan, and the removal of the questions of capital, by the British, and the transfer of their interests to the Sudan.

Fourthly, to safeguard the neutrality of Egypt alone, to safeguard the neutrality of the Suez Canal."

Every dollar spent in your town is a boost for the community.

Montreal.—A comprehensive plan of action has been submitted to the government of Canada within the next 10 days by Hon. Charles Stewart, Minister of the Interior, according to an announcement that he is to make to an audience of business leaders, after an address on "Immigration, Selected and Directed," delivered by Mr. Lloyd Shandwick.

On the basis of the statistics, the minister said, had been made on behalf of the Canadian government of the present status of native-born Canadians from the Dominion.

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